

5000 VOTES FORECAST SATURDAY

Little River Bridge Disgrace to Texas Highway System

The following letter has been mailed to Robert L. Bobbitt, member of the Highway Commission, by Jack Lewis, Cameron lawyer:

August 13th, 1942.
Honorable Robert Lee Bobbitt,
State Highway Commissioner,
Austin, Texas.
Dear friend, Bobbitt:

I do not believe that I have had the pleasure of seeing you since you visited Cameron a few years ago and made us a fine talk at the Chamber of Commerce banquet. However, I have kept up with you and other friends over the State through the press, and, as you know, you always have my best wishes and regards.

As one of our State Highway Commissioners, I am taking the liberty to write you herewith and request a very small favor concerning a matter that needs immediate attention.

I do not "get around" much. I do not represent our Mayor, the County Judge, Commissioners' Court, Chamber of Commerce or other body, and I have no political influence or preference. I am just a plain, every-day country lawyer and citizen here at Cameron, and having a hard time trying to make a living for my family and myself. I do have a vital interest in the welfare of our State, County, City and their institutions and my fellow-man.

The point is this: I had occasion to drive over the Little River bridge and trestle yesterday, on State Highway 36, about one mile East of Cameron on the Austin and Houston road. Much has been said and written about the condition of this bridge and trestle and the need of a new one during the past few years, and many complaints have been registered. I am informed that previous plans to build a new bridge across the river and bottoms had to be abandoned on account of lack of material and the war, and I am not complaining about that. The war of course comes first. I had not had occasion to cross this bridge for several months—in fact, I thought it had been repaired during the early part of the year. Outside of a little work done on the bridge proper and the short Eastern approach, the bridge and trestle are in a deplorable condition. The railings are loose and shaky and partly torn away, offering practically no protection to the driver on this narrow structure. The flooring is uneven and worn out in many places. Part is covered with tar, part is not. Many large spikes or nails stick up from 1-2 to 1 inch high all over the flooring, keeping a person constantly dodging and fearing that he will puncture his tires. In fact, this "structure" is now a worn out, dangerous and shabby death trap and a disgrace to the State Highway system.

As you know, this bridge and trestle are on State Highway 36. It affords the main artery of approach to our little city from the South and East. Since the war, a great deal of heavy hauling of lumber, brick, cement, steel and tile and other heavy material has been passing over it.

BUCKHOLTS MAN NAMED SUPT. PYTHIAN HOME

Hugo Horstmann of Buckholts has been named Superintendent of the Pythian Home in Weatherford.

M. G. Cox, member of the Board of Trustees for the home, returned from a meeting there Monday morning at which time Mr. Horstmann was named from among a large number of applicants.

It was understood that Mrs. Horstmann will have a share also in the management of the home while her husband is Superintendent.

Monday night at the local Knights of Pythias Lodge a special meeting was held to honor Mr. and Mrs. Horstmann.

Mr. Horstmann was born and reared at Buckholts. He has been superintendent of the Buckholts schools for a number of years and has given that community a strong educational system. It is the first time in the history of the Pythian Home a Milam county man has been chosen to be superintendent.

Volunteer In Navy



COXSUAIN C. H. KIRKLAND

Coxswain C. H. Kirkland, a volunteer in the United States Navy, is stationed at Lakehurst, New Jersey. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kirkland of Milano and a graduate of Milano High School.

Kirkland enlisted in the navy on June 9, 1940, and went to San Diego, Calif., and after two months was transferred to Pearl Harbor in the Hawaiian Islands. He had made two trips back from Hawaii to Long Beach, Calif. He returned to Pearl Harbor in January and remained there until July 1941, and was then transferred to Lakehurst, New Jersey.

At Lakehurst he entered the airship training school and graduated on December 29, 1941. He was to have returned home on a 15 day furlough but war was declared after the Pearl Harbor attack.

Kirkland is now flying in a Blimp and was promoted to Coxswain in April. He was only 20 when he volunteered in 1940.

DICK YOUNG RESIGNS AS ASSISTANT COACH

Dick Young has resigned as assistant coach. It was reported to the Herald late Monday.

Mr. Young who came to the faculty a year ago, it was understood would return to his farm near Jones Prairie and give up coaching. He was a star center for Cenery under Coach Homer Norton and knows football inside and out. His work was regarded as very satisfactory here.

It was also reported that the school board is faced still with a vacancy in the principalship of the Ada Henderson School. The man elected to succeed Guy Haynes did not accept the contract.

Almost the entire faculty has resigned. Coach Sarley for the B team has accepted a head coaching job at Glenfalls in West Texas at a greatly increased salary.

It was understood Cameron school salaries, especially among the grade teachers and high school teachers, are low.

Rotarians Commend Stanley Swift on Eve of His Departure

Lieut. Stanley Swift, United States Naval Reserve, will leave Cameron Thursday for Cambridge Massachusetts where he will report for training in consequence of his commission recently in the navy.

A charter member of the Rotary Club, Mr. Swift, was commended Wednesday for his service to Cameron and for his patriotic sacrifice in volunteering for service in the navy. He will be assigned to the communications division after he has completed training.

In saying goodbye for the duration, members expressed their appreciation for his good service to the club. Mr. Swift has made an outstanding contribution to civic life and for years has been the city's No. 1 Host with his theatres. All members of the club feel a great personal loss in his departure and in addition recognize that the club will lose heavily while he serves his country.

Mrs. Jeff Lange of Vogelsang community celebrated her 88th birthday yesterday, August 18th, 1942. Her children gave her a dinner and all of her grand children were present for the dinner.

Cameron Supply of Milk May Be Cut Off Entirely

Cameron's milk situation was unchanged Wednesday.

With but one principal producer left, Chamberlain's Dairy, there was a strong probability the city would be without a milk supply soon for frankly Mr. Chamberlain cannot operate unless he gets an increase in the price.

Mr. Chamberlain is asking the Price Administration for permission to increase his price to 14th per quart. That is the price being paid all over central Texas.

Last week the city council was urged to act by declaring an emergency. It was learned Wednesday that unless the declaration was made Tuesday night or sometime during the day, nothing official had been done. Thus we were keeping up our average for a good case of civic rheumatism.

Mr. Chamberlain said he would like to buy some 12c milk for resale here. He had heard about a discussion to bring milk in from Houston. This was thought unfair to the local producers, especially since Mr. Chamberlain is now substantially supplying the demand.

Unless an increase in the price is granted Mr. Chamberlain will be forced to quit and turn his milk to the government or to any wholesale market.

The situation is critical and therefore it is urgent that all conditions be complied with to secure Price Administration permit to raise the price.

MRS. J. E. LONGMOOR DIES IN ROCKDALE

Mrs. J. E. Longmoor, 86, for many years a resident of Rockdale, died at the family residence there at 12 a. m. Wednesday, August 19, 1942.

Mrs. Longmoor was an aunt of Mrs. E. H. Coffield in Cameron.

She had been in critical health for some time. She was a native of Virginia but had lived in Rockdale for many years. Her husband, the late, J. E. Longmoor, Sr., was at one time Cashier of the First National Bank in Rockdale. Mr. Longmoor died in 1917.

E. H. Coffield of Cameron said Mrs. Longmoor had been in a critical condition for several days and little hope was held for her recovery.

Mrs. Longmoor is survived by three sons, J. E. Longmoor, Jr., of Kansas City and president of the Longmoor Investment Company of that city; S. A. Longmoor of Dallas, vice president of the Republic National Bank, and J. J. Longmoor of Rosebud.

One daughter, Mrs. W. A. Coffield of Waco survives; and a niece, Mrs. E. H. Coffield of Cameron. There are a number of grand children.

Funeral services had not been arranged Wednesday but was to be held sometime Thursday.

DEPPE RAID WAS A MAJOR SUCCESS

The battle of Deppe on the French coast was being analyzed today for its military lessons.

While no official statements have been made it became clear that the operation was a large one, so much so the Germans were reported moving reinforcements.

It was reported that 10 thousand men had been landed from transports to take part in the battle. The Germans said that many more were in the Channel but did not land.

It was certain the Germans had lost many airplanes. Claims placed the number at 200. Prisoners were taken and many Germans were killed.

Forty French residents were slain by the Germans when they were observed helping the invasion forces.

The military aspect of the raid was said Thursday to be of great value to the United Nations.

A Japanese war ship was bombed Thursday 400 miles off the Solomon Islands by United States airmen. This was taken to indicate the extent of the air protection given forces on the Islands and might indicate the Japs are moving in.

The Soviet armies have taken the offensive on four fronts in Russia.

With The Baptist



DR. H. H. HARGROVE

Pastor of Columbus Avenue Waco

The long expected revival at the Baptist church is about to begin. The pastor hopes that services Sunday will be the opening of a great meeting. Dr. Hargrove comes with us Monday night and will have full charge of the service and entire campaign. Winning souls to Christ and developing lives for heroic Christian service is the main business of our church. Dr. Hargrove is the able leader of such work. He is a Mississippian and a graduate of their University. For five years he has been pastor of Columbus Avenue in Waco, one of the leading churches of that city. At San Antonio he led the whole of the Southern Baptist Convention in making plans for greater missionary effort.

You'll love him for truly he makes Christ the spearhead of his thundering assaults against Satan. Preaching services will be at 8:15 in the evening and at 11 in the morning.

Bro. Ray Burke will be our song leader and Mrs. Francis Cox and Mrs. C. W. Bradbury will be at the piano. These are our own leaders and we want to co-operate to the fullest.

Services will be on the church lawn and the cool breezes will be very refreshing. Bring your family and all the neighbors.

In Foreign Service



PVT. HERBERT DUESER

Now in foreign service, Pvt. Herbert Dueser, is a volunteer in the United States Army Air Corps.

Pvt. Dueser, 29 years old, enlisted in the air corps in November of 1940, reporting to Brooks Field and from there he went to Kelley Field, both at San Antonio. He was subsequently transferred to Marine Field in Calif., and is now in foreign service.

Pvt. Dueser is an airplane mechanic, an important position in the air corps where millions of young Americans are needed to maintain the air force.

He was born and reared at Ad Hall. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Dueser of Ad Hall.

Pvt. Dueser has made good progress in the air corps as a mechanic. His many friends here will be glad to know of his success and that he is doing his share for victory.

LIEUT. SWIFT LEAVES

Lieut. Stanley Swift, United States Navy, left Milano for St. Louis aboard a Missouri Pacific train shortly after noon Thursday. He will go to Cambridge, Mass., for a naval school at Harvard University. In uniform for the first time, Lieut. Swift, took leave of many friends here.

5000 VOTE FORECAST FOR SATURDAY ELECTION

On the eve of the Run Off Primary Election Milam County voting precincts were prepared and all was ready for the opening of the polls Saturday morning at 8 o'clock.

Ballots and supplies were distributed this week by John B. Henderson, Chairman. Returns will be received at the court house and read as has been the custom for many years.

Interest centers chiefly in the race for United States Senator with James V. Allred and Senator W. Lee O'Daniel coming into the stretch.

Other races included State Treasurer where Jesse James, Milam county man, lacked only a few votes of a majority.

Senator Harold Beck and Senator John Lee Smith are running it out for Lieutenant Governor; Pierce Brooks of Dallas and Beauford Jester of Corsicana are in the run off for Railroad Commissioner.

In Commissioner Precinct 1 in Milam county Beauford McMillion, incumbent and W. E. Kuzel are in the run off. Mr. Kuzel led the ticket in the first primary in which Walter Fuchs of Yarrington was defeated.

An estimate on the vote forecast that 5000 ballots would be cast. This number would be around 1200 less than the number cast in the first primary.

CAPT. CHARLES PERRIN IS KILLED IN AFRICA

Capt. Charles Perrin, 25, United States Army Air Corps pilot, recently arrived in Africa, was killed in an air battle in Egypt, it was learned here Saturday morning.

Capt. Perrin was a brother of E. A. Perrin, Superintendent of Schools in Cameron. The dead flyer was a native of Georgetown and Williamson county.

Capt. Perrin was a junior at Texas University when he volunteered for the air service. He was commissioned a year ago. He received his basic training at Randolph Field, San Antonio. He was later stationed at Tacoma, Washington, and only recently had reported to the American Air Command in Egypt for combat duty.

It was presumed here he met death in an air battle as many American airmen are now engaged in fighting the Germans and Italians over the desert in North Africa.

After he left Tacoma, Washington, he was in Louisiana and from there he went to Africa.

Capt. Perrin was married a year ago. His widow, the former Miss Mary Neal Ward of Austin, survives.

The message to the family in Georgetown, it was said here, indicated a letter would follow, giving more details.

GENERAL BRUCE WITH OFFICERS ENTERTAINED

General Bruce, Commander of Camp Hood, and 31 Commissioned Officers, from the Camp and area were guests Friday evening of the Chamber of Commerce at the home of Grady Little.

The barbecue was arranged on the lawn of the home where Mr. Little has excellent facilities for entertaining.

Cold beer and barbecue, also Coca-Cola made up the menu along with accessories. It was a jolly occasion, without formalities. The officers were well entertained.

Judge Graham Gillis in a 2 minute talk welcomed the men. General Bruce responded, praising the citizens here for their interest in entertaining soldiers. The officers came in 10 cars and the drivers, mostly non-commissioned officers, were entertained also.

Cameron was fast becoming the entertainment center of Central Texas.

Miss Mary Ellen Manning, who holds a government position at Washington, D. C., is here on a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Manning, and to meet her brother, Chas. Manning who is in the army, and is here on a furlough visit.

Fights In Pacific



JAMES RAY DODSON

James Ray Dodson, son of J. R. Dodson of Cameron, is a volunteer in the United States Navy and is fighting the Japs in the South Pacific.

James Ray was born at Burlington but attended high school in Cameron. When war came on, like many other young Texans, he volunteered at 17, enlisting on March 13, 1942. He was sent to San Diego, Calif., where he received his primary training for the navy.

He is now aboard the U. S. S. Superior, a submarine tender, mother-ship to the undersea craft operating with such effect against the Japs in the Pacific.

James Ray has been promoted to Seaman first class and is assigned to the Captain's quarters aboard the Superior. Mr. Dodson here heard from his son in July. He is not expected to be back in the states for a long time, maybe for the duration of the Pacific war.

Although it is not known whether true or not, but he is believed to be taking part in the Solomon Islands battle and may have also seen the Coral Sea fight or the Midway battle.

James Ray is one among a number of Cameron boys in the United States Navy. Friends here are happy to know of his promotion and applaud his patriotic example as a volunteer.

WM. FISCHER DIES AT BUCKHOLTS HOME

Wm. Fischer, pioneer, died at his home near Buckholts early Monday it was learned here.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday, August 18, 1942, from the home at 3 p. m. and services will be held at the cemetery at 4 p. m.

Rev. W. G. Bushaehar, pastor, will conduct the services and will be assisted by Rev. Herman Hieghert of Temple. Interment will be made in the Buckholts Cemetery with Skinner Undertaking Co., in Rogers, directing arrangements.

157 PLANES ARE SHOT DOWN IN BIG FIGHT

LATE BULLETIN

The battle of Deppe is over. It lasted 9 hours. The British and American forces lost 92 planes shot down and the Germans lost 62 planes shot down.

Losses on both sides was terrific. Twenty-one pilots were picked up in the English channel. Others are being sought.

The forces making the invasion have returned on time. A large number of tanks were lost. When the invasion landed on the beaches the fire of the Germans was so terrific the men were driven back, but quickly reformed and took all objective.

Dieppe was destroyed. Military sources said the raid had been successful because it was made for getting information and to find out about the invasion coast strength of the Germans. Later news was promised.

Invasion forces on the coast of France had fought a sustained 12 hour engagement with the Germans and the battle was still in progress at 2 p. m. Wednesday.

American, British, Canadian and French forces were in the invasion force which struck the coast of France on a four day visit.

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H. J. R. No. 24
A JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an Amendment to Article V of the Constitution of Texas by providing that the Legislature shall have the power by local or general law, in counties having a population in excess of two hundred thousand (200,000) inhabitants to create other courts having exclusive jurisdiction or concurrent jurisdiction with the county court in civil, criminal or probate matters; fixing the time for an election, therefore; prescribing the form of ballot, providing for procurement of such election and the advertisement thereof, and making an appropriation therefor

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. Article V of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 22-a and reading as follows:

"Section 22-a. The Legislature shall have the power, by local or general law (without the necessity of advertising any such local law), in counties having a population in excess of two hundred thousand (200,000) inhabitants according to the then last Federal Census, to create other courts having either exclusive jurisdiction or concurrent jurisdiction with the county court in civil, criminal or probate matters."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at a special election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1942, at which time all voters favoring such proposed Amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the following:

"For the Amendment to the Constitution, providing that the Legislature may in certain counties create other courts having either exclusive jurisdiction or concurrent jurisdiction with the county court in civil, criminal or probate matters."

"Against the Amendment to the Constitution, providing that the Legislature may in certain counties create other courts having either exclusive jurisdiction or concurrent jurisdiction with the county court in civil, criminal or probate matters."

If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast is in favor of the Amendment, the same shall become part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have it published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of this State.

Sec. 4. The sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of said publication. 16-41

OIL AND GAS LEASES

B. F. Robinson to Shell Oil Company, Inc., all of the South part of 329 acres including 184 acres of the Martin survey, \$10.

J. G. Thompson et ux to H. H. Coffield, Western part of 568 acres of the John Dunley survey, \$10.

—what's going on—

S. J. R. No. 20
A JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas by amending Section 33 of Article 16, of the Constitution of Texas so as to permit the accounting officers of this State to draw and pay warrants for salaries to officers of the United States Army or Navy who are assigned to duties in State Institutions of higher education

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 33 of Article 16, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 33. The accounting officers of this State shall neither draw nor pay a warrant upon the Treasury in favor of any person, for salary or compensation as agent, officer or appointee, who holds at the same time any other office or position or honor, trust or profit, under this State or the United States, except as prescribed in this Constitution. Provided, that this restriction as to the drawing and paying of warrants upon the Treasury shall not apply to officers of the National Guard of Texas, the National Guard Reserve, the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, nor to enlisted men of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Organized Reserves of the United States, nor to retired officers of the United States Army, warrant officers and retired enlisted men of the United States Army, Navy, and Marine Corps, nor to officers of the United States Army or Navy who are assigned to duties in State Institutions of higher education."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State on the third day of November, 1942, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"For the Constitutional Amendment permitting the accounting officers of this State to draw and pay warrants for salaries to officers of the United States Army or Navy who are assigned to duties in State Institutions of higher education."

"Against the Constitutional Amendment permitting the accounting officers of this State to draw and pay warrants for salaries to officers of the United States Army or Navy who are assigned to duties in State Institutions of higher education."

Each voter shall scratch out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State, and the sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from any funds in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated to defray the expenses of printing said proclamation and of holding said election. 16-41

SOMETHING SPECIAL

There is a special program on at the Knights of Pythias Hall tonight, Monday, August 17th, and all Knights should be present.

804th Battalion Now
In Ireland Says Gen.
Bruce Here Friday

Men of the 804th Tank Destroyer Battalion commanded by Col. Purdy are now in Ireland, it was announced here Friday by General Bruce, Commander of Camp Hood.

The news was disclosed in the course of a short address General Bruce made at the banquet Friday night in Cameron. He was liberal in his praise of Cameron citizens. The men at Camp Hood all wish to return here.

The first men to be entertained here on July 4th were the 804th Battalion made up of New Mexico National Guard. They are now in Ireland.

Mrs. Mamie Brown, who is a sister of Mrs. J. P. Love, is leaving for her old home, Louisville, Ky., after living in Cameron for several years. She has made many friends here who regret that she is leaving, and hope that she may return some time in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Thompson and little daughter of Orange, are visiting Mr. Thompson's mother, Mrs. Violetta Thompson for a few days.

Late Opening Date
For Schools Asked
By County Board

Schools scheduled to begin their 1942 session early in September have been asked by the County Board of Education to begin at a later date in order to insure as much help on the farms as possible.

Chas. M. Hicks, County Superintendent, said the Board was only making suggestions as it has nothing to do with the date on which local boards schedule opening of their schools.

Due to the critical shortage of labor on the farms are schools now operating largely through buses bringing in rural children, might, if they opened too early cause a further shortage of farm workers.

It was not known what reaction was had from the suggestion but generally the idea was thought sound.

Miss Josephine Dreis of San Antonio, is visiting Miss Aetna Smith and other friends here. Miss Dreis formerly made her home in Cameron several years before moving to San Antonio and has many friends here.

Fred Jackson of Camp Swift at Bastrop, spent the week end here with his wife and family.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To W. L. Green, Greeting:

You are commanded to appear and answer to the plaintiffs petition at or before 10:00 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days the date of the issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 14th day of September, A. D. 1942, at or before 10 o'clock a. m. before the Honorable District Court of Milam County, at the Court House in Cameron, Texas.

Said Plaintiff's petition was filed on the 24th day of July, 1942.

The file number of said suit being No. 12069.

The names of the parties in said suit are:

Alice H. Green as Plaintiff, and

W. L. Green as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit:

Plaintiff sues defendant for divorce and dissolution of marriage relations, alleging the statutory grounds therefor of three years abandonment.

Issued this the 27th day of July, 1942.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Cameron, Texas, this the 27th day of July A. D. 1942.

(Seal) W. C. (Nig) MOODY,

Clerk District Court, Milam County.

Mrs. Hubb Sloane, accompanied by Andrea and Edward Brady joined Mr. and Mrs. Ed Reese of Henderson for the week end in the home of her sister Mrs. E. Culbert at Troy.



From where I sit...

by Joe Marsh

WHENEVER I hear about anybody having a big family I think of Dad and Ma Hoskins. The Hoskins' had thirteen children.

They weren't a bad bunch of kids, by and large—but it seemed one or the other of them would always be having a fuss with the neighbors, or would break a window playing baseball, or some other kid trick. Kept Dad and Ma mighty busy all the time.

One day Dad got a bright idea. He called the whole family together for a special meeting at the dinner table.

He told them he was tired of checking up on them all the time. He said he thought they were old enough now to check up on themselves. The older children would watch the younger ones. They would have meetings every so often and hand out rewards or punishments.

Well, it was a crazy idea but the kids liked it and they started behaving better than they ever had before. The idea worked and Dad finally did get a little time for himself.

I mention this story about Dad Hoskins because it's something like what I understand the beer industry is doing to regulate itself.

As I see it, most of the beer industry behaves itself perfectly all right... but every now and then, I guess, a retailer comes along who runs a place that isn't up to scratch... sort of like a wayward kid.

So like Dad Hoskins' family, the brewers and beer distributors have united together in an industry self-regulation program to help the proper authorities "clean up or close up" offending retail places.

The brewers, who want to protect beer's good name, cooperate wisely with the authorities who enforce the laws.

From where I sit, that's a fine thing for the brewers to do... particularly when you realize that after all they're really not responsible for retailing conditions.

Joe Marsh

NOW IS THE TIME TO THINK ABOUT
YOUR

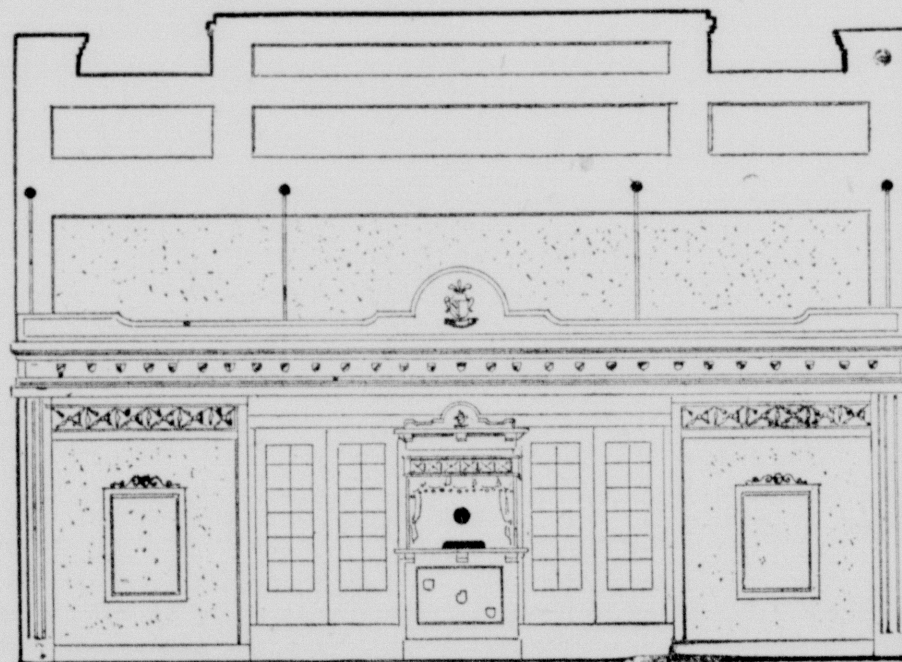
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Saturday, August 22

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Sunday and Monday, August 23 and 24

TEN GENTLEMEN FROM WEST POINT

George Montgomery and Maureen O'Aara

TUESDAY, August 25

"THE AFFAIRS OF MARTHA"

Marsha Hunt and Richard Carlson

Wednesday, August 26

"CANAL ZONE"

Chester Morris and John Hubbard

Thursday and Friday, August 27 and 28

"CALLING DR. GILLESPIE"

Lionel Barrymore and Philip Dorn

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DR. ROY REED LEAVING FOR ARMY AUGUST 21

Dr. Roy G. Reed, director of the Milam County Health Unit, announced Tuesday that he had accepted a commission in the United States army and is reporting for duty on August 21st.

Dr. Reed has been in the reserve corps of the army for the past 8 years and will be a First Lieutenant upon entry. His promotion will be rapid.

Although Dr. Reed as director of the health unit is deferred because of his connection with the Public Health service, he is volunteering for service. "I could never feel I had done my full duty under present conditions if I did not volunteer for service," said Dr. Reed.

His work here and in Robertson county has been outstanding. The health unit has met and solved many problems arising from need among the people for medical and surgical help. Especially has Dr. Reed's work been good from the standpoint of combating and stamping out venereal diseases and improving sanitation at food and drink establishments over the two counties.

All Cameron and Milam County salutes Lieut. Roy G. Reed, thanks him for his good work here and wishes him success and happy return.

Nazi Retreating on Front at Leningrad

The Red army is fighting back with telling effect on the Germans before Leningrad.

Dispatches Tuesday told of the retreat of the Germans to escape the fury of the Russian attack.

While the Russian front looked only slightly better Tuesday Americans and British in the air war over Germany joined in a blasting of Nazi held territory in the low countries and in France.

Secrecy Shrouds Death of 6 Nazi; Others Are Nabbed

Washington, Aug. 9.—The same strict secrecy which surrounded eight Nazi saboteur specialists during their trial for life before a military tribunal continued to day to shroud six of them in death and the two who didn't die.

Office of War Information officials said that details of the disposition of the bodies of the six who were executed in the District jail's electric chair Saturday must come from the White House. Sources there said Presidential Secretary Stephen Early, from whom such an announcement would normally be expected probably would not be available today.

Berlin Knew It

Thus, an official curtain was drawn over the likely resting place of the half dozen who landed from U-boats on a mission of sabotage but met instead swift and deadly justice.

But Berlin knew that Heinrich Harm Heinck, Richard Quirin, Edward John Kerling, Herbert Hans Haupt, Werner Thiel and Hermann Otto Neubauer were dead. The British radio took care of that last night, broadcasting the news in several languages to the Nazi-dominated European continent.

Snug in iron-barred safety, George John Dasch and Ernest Peter Burger continued to live today. The help they gave the government in sealing the fate of the other six brought commutation of their death sentences—Dasch's to 30 years and Burger's to life, both at hard labor.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Sunday, August 22nd, Morning Prayer and Sermon at 11 o'clock.

Miss Mary Ruth Porter of Austin, visited in the Mrs. Tex Randolph home here the first of the week, and was accompanied by Mrs. Randolph and daughter, Misses Mary and Lois to Calvert where they visited Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Porter.

Mrs. Coy Arledge to Get Masters Degree Wednesday Night

Mrs. Coy C. Arledge will leave Cameron Wednesday for San Marcos where she will be given her Master Degree at graduation exercises Wednesday night at Southwest Texas State Teachers College.

Mrs. Arledge received her Bachelor of Arts Degree there in 1937. She is now teaching English in Buckholts high school and has been a member of the faculty there for several years.

In obtaining her Masters Degree she wrote her thesis on "Proposed Course of Study for High School English."

Congressman Lyndon Johnson will deliver the graduating address. The ceremonies will be broadcast over radio beginning at 7:30 war time.

Only about 20 are to receive their Masters Degree and Mrs. Arledge is one of them. Mr. and Mrs. Arledge will return to Cameron Wednesday night following the graduation program.

Dr. and Mrs. Frank V. Mondrik and daughter Beverly spent a few days here with his mother and sister. He has his commission in the army as a Captain and is waiting to be called.

—what's going on—

Largest First Aid Class Closed at Ben Arnold Monday Night

The largest First Aid Class in the county was closed last night at Ben Arnold by LeRoy Massengale.

Those taking the course were Mrs. Ellis Coker, C. S. Sproul, Mrs. J. A. Henderson, Mrs. O. J. Brod, O. J. Brod, Mrs. O. R. Looney, Kathrine Campbell, Bessie Jagers, Bobby Henderson, L. A. Swanzey, Mrs. W. E. Kosel, Bertha Mae McDonald, Ruby Sweet, William Sweet, Jr., Myrtle Dale Swanzey, Elwood Bryant, Mrs. Frank Sherrill, Helen Dale Swanzey, Robert Swanzey, Bessie Mae Sweet, Mrs. Claud Sproul, Jr., and Albert Swanzey.

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We have plenty of our good canary colored meal here yet at \$2.15 a sack at the Mill.

CAMERON COTTON OIL CO.

NOTICE TO SCHOOL PATRONS

The School Board in regular session Thursday, March 12, took action which will make it necessary for every child who intends to attend the Cameron Public Schools next year to be vaccinated for small pox or show a doctor's certificate of vaccination. Also those children who will enter the Cameron School next year and will be in the first grade, must be immunized against diphtheria.

The Federal Health Authorities are urging this procedure throughout the Nation, at this particular time because of the war conditions.

Cameron School Board.

Drastic Cuts Made In Bicycle Buys Under New Order

"The War Production Board issued an order recently, halting the manufacture of bicycles at the end of August. That put an entirely new complexion on the rationing plans that the Office of Price Administration had drafted when it expected that output would be continued.

"The new regulations are designed to direct the limited supply of new adult bicycles into essential transportation uses."

In its new list, the OPA defines the essential occupations that will make a person eligible for a bicycle certificate. Also, an applicant must show that he does not have available, under appropriate rationing regulations, any private means of transportation that would serve the purpose for which a bicycle is sought. In other words, if an applicant for a bicycle purchase certificate has a car or motorcycle that has tires, and which could be used

in the service for which a bicycle would be used, without impairing its tire eligibility, he will be ineligible for a bicycle certificate.

The fundamental requirement for eligibility is that a person is engaged directly in war work, or in some work essential to the public health and safety but certain other qualifications must also be met.

John B. Henderson, chairman of the Milam County War Price and Rationing Board, received today new regulations from Washington which reduce drastically the list of persons eligible to buy new bicycles.

"These new regulations are intended to fit the bicycle rationing program to a sharply decreased supply," Mr. Henderson explained.

Mrs. Ernest Howard and children of Waco, are here on a visit with Mrs. Ethel Brewer and Mrs. Fred Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Walker and son were here visiting his father last week end.

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Loss of Both Hands	\$1,000.00
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Hospital-Nursing Benefits up to	150.00

Waiver of Premiums while confined in Hospital.

Double Indemnity may be included for small additional cost.

The cost for above type of policy is very low—shown below are monthly rates for various ages for different amounts of Insurance in our Company.

Ages	\$150.00	\$250.00	\$500.00	\$1,000
10	.15	.25	.50	.90
20	.20	.30	.50	.95
30	.25	.35	.65	1.20
40	.30	.45	.85	1.55
50	.45	.65	1.25	2.30
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SPECIAL FAMILY GROUP
FOR YOUR ENTIRE FAMILY

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1st Death Pays	\$ 200.00
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3rd Death Pays	333.33
4th Death Pays	500.00
5th Death Pays	1,000.00

Total Insurance \$2,283.33

THIS POLICY HAS ALL 12 BENEFITS
WE WRITE ANY SIZE FAMILY

THIS COMPANY HAS AN OUTSTANDING RECORD
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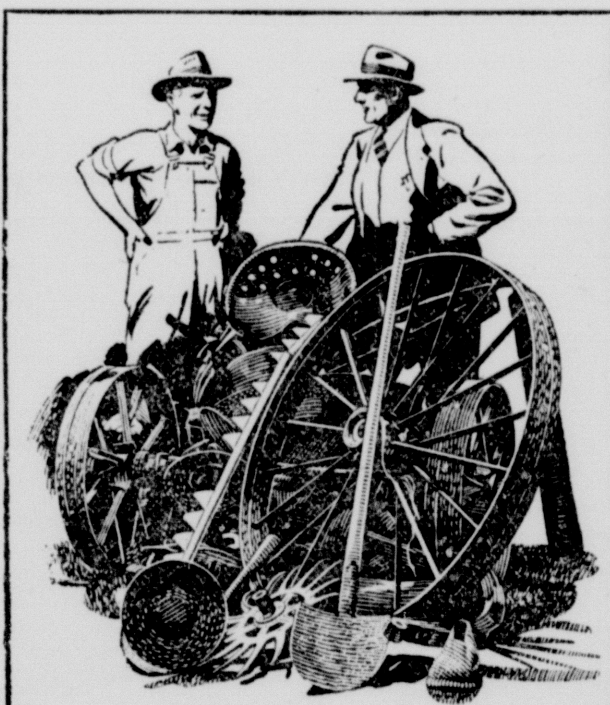
Please send me further information concerning your insurance.

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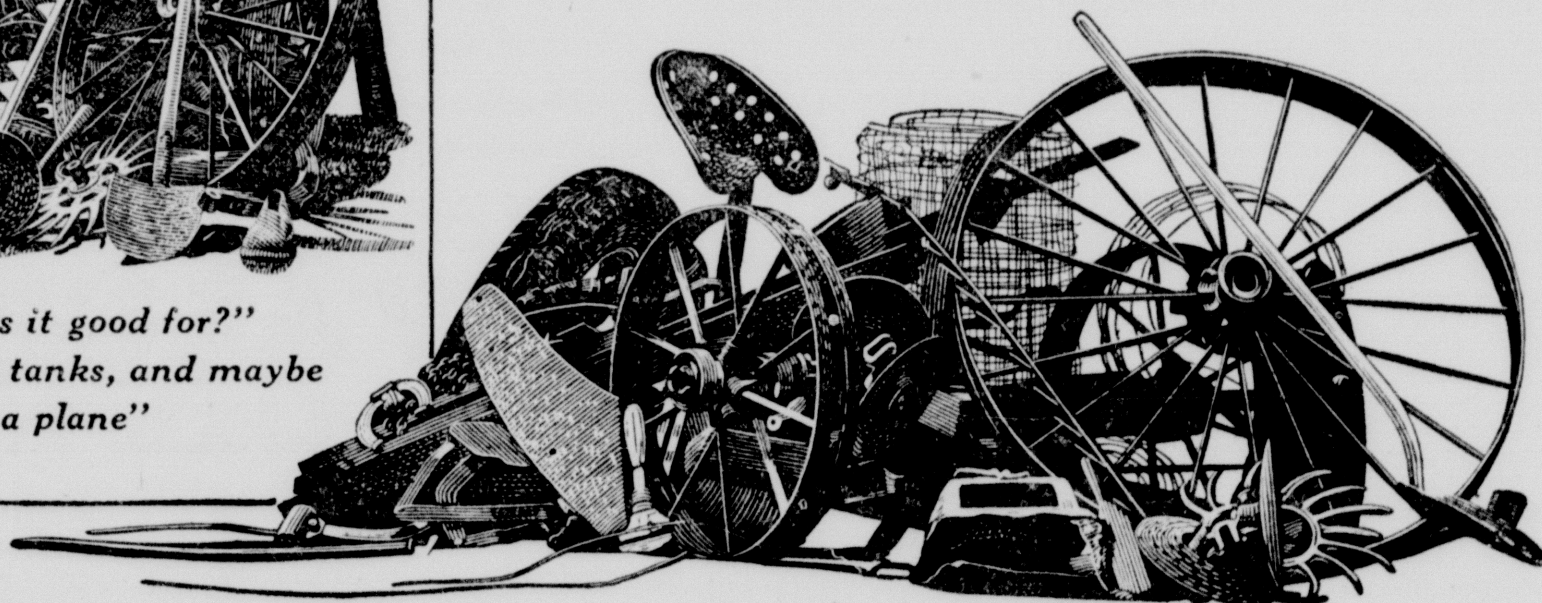
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Route or Street _____

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JUNK needed for War



In the barnyards and gullies of farms and in the basements and attics of homes is a lot of Junk which is doing no good where it is, but which is needed at once to help smash the Japs and Nazis.

Scrap iron and steel, for example.

Even in peacetime, scrap provided about 50% of the raw material for steel. It may be rusty, old "scrap" to you, but it is actually refined steel—with most impurities removed, and can be quickly melted with new metal in the form of pig iron to produce highest quality steel for our war machines.

The production of steel has gone up, up, UP, until today America is turning out as much steel as all the rest of the world combined. But unless at least 6,000,000 additional tons of scrap steel is uncovered promptly, the full

rate of production cannot be attained or increased; the necessary tanks, guns and ships cannot be produced.

The rubber situation is also critical. In spite of the recent rubber drive, there is a continuing need for large quantities of scrap rubber. Also for other waste materials and metals like brass, copper, zinc, lead and tin.

The Junk which you collect is bought by industry from scrap dealers at established, government-controlled prices.

Will you help?

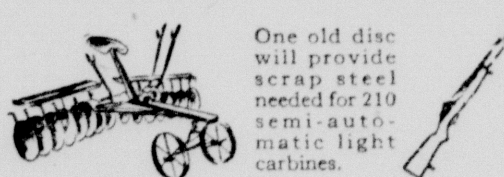
First—collect all of your waste material and pile it up.

Then—sell it to a Junk dealer, give it to a charity, take it yourself to the nearest collection point, or get in touch with your Local Salvage Committee.

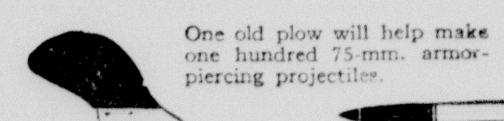
If you live on a farm, consult your County War Board or your farm implement dealer.

Throw YOUR scrap into the fight!

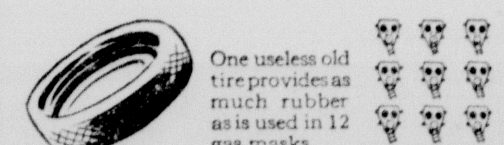
JUNK MAKES FIGHTING WEAPONS



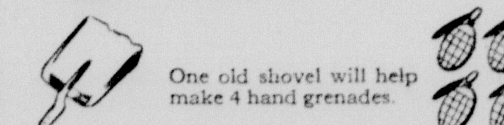
One old disc will provide scrap steel needed for 210 semi-automatic light carbines.



One old plow will help make one hundred 75-mm. armor-piercing projectiles.



One useless old tire provides as much rubber as is used in 12 gas masks.



One old shovel will help make 4 hand grenades.

MATERIALS NEEDED

Scrap iron and steel.

Other metals of all kinds.

Old rubber.

Rags, Manila rope, burlap bags.

Waste Cooking Fats—When you get a pound or more, strain into a large tin can and sell to your meat dealer.

NEEDED ONLY IN CERTAIN LOCALITIES: Waste paper and tin cans—wanted only in certain areas, as announced locally. NOT NEEDED (at this time): Razor blades—glass.

This message approved by Conservation Division

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This advertisement paid for by the American Industries Salvage Committee (representing and with funds provided by groups of leading industrial concerns).

Local Salvage Committee

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WANT-ADS

FOR SALE—1936 Ford Motor, extra good, priced right. See it at Pemberton Filling Station. 18-3tp

FOR SALE—80 acres black land; 40 acres cultivation, balance good pasture, plenty of water. Bargain. See or phone Jim McGoldrick. 17-3tp

IMPROVED FARM FOR SALE—53 acres, 8 miles N. W. of Cameron. Good clean land. 40 acres in cultivation, fair improvements. \$446 cash and \$123.20 annually which includes principal and interest. For further information see or write Wm. R. Rogers, West 5th Street. 18-5tp

HAVE 1938 three quarter ton Chevrolet pickup, for sale or will trade for late model truck. Ruzicka Grain and Feed Store, Buckholts. 19-2tp

LOST—Pair of mare mules, smooth mouth, one blue the other brown body with white nose. \$5 Reward. Please notify, John's Place, Cameron. 19-1tc

IMPROVED FARMS FOR SALE

Milam, Bell, Falls and Williamson counties ranging in size from 50 acres up, on terms of 20 per cent cash and 29 years to pay at a low rate of interest. Each purchaser of these farms is given a BOND that protects his investment and family in case of death while paying for it, as all unpaid balances are cancelled, provided purchaser is under 50 years of age and insurable. Why not select the farm of your choice from among 50 that I am offering for sale under this BOND PLAN. For further information see Wm. R. Rogers, West 5th Street, Cameron. 18-3tp

LOST, Strayed or Stolen, one Poland China sow, weight about 200 lbs. Arthur Inge, Buckholts Rt. 2 19-1tp

FOR RENT—Farm land on the halves. See Joe Ford at Yarrington. 15-3tp

White Leghorn pullents. See W. T. Whitaker, Route 3, Cameron 15-4tp

WANTED TO BUY—Young turkeys.

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We have plenty of our good canary colored meal here yet at \$2.15 a sack at the Mill.

CAMERON COTTON OIL CO.

The County Equalization Board will meet today and continue for one week. The meeting will open each morning at 9 a. m.

Your first introduction
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WHY

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BEST SELLING LAXATIVE
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PROJECTS

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No Increase in Tuition—Books Free—Write for Information
Sam Knight, Pres. Box 4 Wm. L. Bain, V. P.

BRIDGE

(continued from page one)

terials and supplies constantly have to cross it on the route to Temple, Killeen and Camp Hood.

Conditions in the premises being what they are, I would like to know—why somebody in authority is not interested enough to spend a measly few hundred dollars and repair it. A number of people have already lost their lives trying to cross this bridge and only good luck and Providence will prevent future loss.

Upon inquiry, some one told me that lumber could not be had to repair the bridge on account of the war. The lumber necessary for flooring and needed repairs would not be a drop in the bucket. I venture to say that enough could be picked up on the highways, if necessary, to fix it. Some old barn or other structure could be wrecked if required to supply materials, and it could be fixed within a week or ten days, at the most, by common labor. Why isn't it done?

This so called bridge and trestle is a menace to human life. It is a reflection on the State Highway System, the County, our City and our entire citizenship; this condition should be remedied NOW.

I would appreciate it so much if you would constitute yourself as a committee of one to see to it that this miserable, dilapidated, dangerous and worn out structure is at least made reasonably safe and usable, NOW. Rebuilding or a new bridge can come later.

I have been told that it was useless to say anything more about this matter; that I was wasting my time in writing, etc., etc.; I replied that I didn't believe it—that I was going to write to you and ask for your personal help and interest.

I call it my and that bridge. Won't you please see to it that YOUR bridge and trestle is fixed?

With kindest personal regards and hoping to hear from you pretty soon, I am

Your friend,
A. J. (Jack) LEWIS.

Atlatl or Throwing Stick Found in Peat Bed Near Hanover

An Atlatl or throwing stick, believed by some to represent an age of weapons antedating the American Indian, has been found in a peat deposit near Hanover and has been given to the Herald museum by Miss Lilian Atkinson.

The Atlatl is the fifth such implement found in the peat bog which is an ancient lake bed, known for generations as the marshes near Hanover.

Two of the Atlatls are at the University of Texas. They appear to have been fashioned from dog wood.

Due to the length of time they have been in the peat deposit, they are kept moist and dehydrated slowly, treated with a chemical process and made hard again. In their present state they are very easily chipped.

Almost of equal interest is the peat deposit now being commercially worked. Archaeologists believe many artifacts will be found in the old lake bed. Peat 23 feet thick has been found. It is cut out in squares and marketed. Peat is a moss growth and is used for insulation, for poultry farm use and also for legumes in soil. Peat also is used for fuels where plentiful such as in the distilleries of Scotland.

The peat deposit near Hanover covers about 12 acres. Another deposit has been found in Burleson county covering about 50 acres.

Along the shores of these old lakes once lived a race of men, long since extinct.

Vogelsang First Aid Course Ends

The first aid course at Vogelsang was concluded last night. Bill Burns was the instructor for this course.

Those who took the course were: Mrs. Raymond Barkemeyer, Mrs. Bill Becker, Mrs. August W. Boeckel, Mrs. O. S. Collins, Albert Dörner, E. P. Folschinsky, Mrs. Fred Folschinsky, Charles Friemel, Mrs. Charles Friemel, Rev. Robert Kalkbrenner, Mrs. R. Kalkbrenner, Emil Lange, Herman Lange, Olga Lange, E. H. Miller, Mrs. E. H. Miller, Mrs. Arnold L. Rummel, Mrs. Minnie Sager, Edward Schiller, Ida A. Vogelsang, Will Vogelsang, Ola Faye Rummel, Lucille Dörner, and Florine Miller.

Mrs. T. A. Howell of Waco, is visiting her brother, Roy Griffith and family for a few days enroute to her home after visiting her sons in Rockdale and San Antonio. Mrs. Howell for many years made her home in Cameron and has many friends here.

R. L. Batte, Jr., of Fredericksburg, spent the week end here with home folks.

"Gone With The Wind" At Cameron Theatre August 27 and 28

"Gone With The Wind," perhaps the most widely seen and discussed motion picture of modern times, will be shown at Cameron Theatre on Thursday and Friday, August 27 and 28, it was announced here Tuesday by John Prude, manager of the theatre.

The picture "Calling Dr. Gillespie" has been canceled and "Gone With The Wind," substituted.

The picture will come to the theatre here at reduced prices. Many did not get to see the picture last year.

New Manager For Theatres Arrives

John Prude of Colorado City, arrived in Cameron Wednesday morning to begin his work here as manager for the Prude Theatres.

Mr. Prude has been manager of the Theatres in that city for the past 8 years and comes to Cameron experienced and qualified for the work he is to do here.

Stanley Swift, owner of the theatres has enlisted in the United States Navy and is reporting for duty on September 1st.

Mrs. Prude will join her husband here soon and they will live in the home formerly owned by B. V. Roberts in the Green addition.

Mr. Prude was guest at the Rotary Club on Wednesday.

Number Here Nabbed For Failure to Get Federal Car Stamps

Internal Revenue operatives were in Cameron Thursday checking on cars without federal stamps.

A number of fines were reported to have been assessed under settlement plan after violations had been detected.

Warnings were issued some time ago. Some paid no attention to the warnings. Today there were several dollars wiser for ignoring the car stamp act.

Earnest Dykes Goes To the U. S. Navy

Great Lakes, Ill., Ernest Elcine Dykes, 21, son of Mrs. Laura L. Dykes, entered training here at the U. S. Naval Training Station this week as an apprentice seaman, under the Navy's recently inaugurated program for enlisting men of the Negro race.

He is now undergoing an intensive training course in naval procedure before assignment to active duty either with the U. S. fleet at sea or at a naval shore station.

Horse and buggy days are here again. A team of horses clattered down the pavement and turned north from the court house shortly after 4 p. m. Thursday, dragging the wagon along. The horses were stopped at the street intersecting Highway 77 near the city park.

John Lee Smith Led Field by 36,000



Senator John Lee Smith, candidate for Lieutenant Governor, led the field in first primary by 36,000 votes. He carried his own Senatorial District by a vote of 33,780 to 1881—He carried 79 counties in West Texas, 25 counties in East Texas, 20 counties in South Texas, 6 counties in North Texas. Total 130 counties out 254.

He led his opponent in 172 counties and in Kimble County, the home of Governor Stevenson, by more than two to one.

Smith 463
Beck 205

Senator Smith especially solicits the active support of all those who voted for other candidates not in run-off.

JOHN LEE SMITH

FOR

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

(Political Announcement)

Milam County Gets Sideswiped by Political Juggernaut; Political Dopes Go All Out In Ignorant Diagnosis Of Tin Box Thumpers

In these lonesome, latter years, many a foul thing has been said about us.

When Ma Ferguson beat Ross Sterling some years ago they said we were crooks and had voted without poll taxes.

Sunday a string of Texas newspapers went out of their way to sideswipe us again by listing Milam county as a German county and therefore Nazi because it had given W. Lee O'Daniel a majority on July 25th.

After 48 hours of silence, it appeared, if any protest were voiced, it could be done by the Herald. In the old days when we still had hind legs and corns, if any, on our feet, somebody would have quickly challenged the lie, in fact there would have been a mad scramble to avenge the insult.

J. Frank Dobie, good at folklore and bad at facts, seems to be responsible in large part for this canard against us.

The pulverizing processes of the Joad family era have rendered us incapable of proper discernment. The so called political leaders condemn in one candidate what their Master has brought on. It is pathetic that we are incapable of seeing how dark the kettle is while condemning the pot for being black. Be that as it is while we grow vertebra in the crucible of war. The immediate thing here is to deny implications.

Truth is brutal majorities for O'Daniel in Milam county came from boxes where the population is not German at all. They may or may not be the tin box thumpers of Democracy. Abe Lincoln said God loved them because he made so many of them. It is not here intended to gloss over their political alignments in the past or present. They have survived many implications and no doubt their loyalties have served them ill as well as good. They are here, and will be here to the last dip.

Not more than 12 per cent, if that ratio, are German among our population. The federal government says 25 per cent of our population is negro. Approximately 20 per cent of our people are Czechs. Nearly all the rest, remotely, came over too. A few came from God knows where but they got here just the same. Two are Indian and met them at the boat.

ON VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lewis and family left Cameron early Thursday for Texas City where they will spend a few days vacation with her sister, Mrs. Sam McDermott. They will be away for more than a week.

Cameron Boy Assigned To Pre-Flight School

Nashville, Tenn., Aug. 14.—Cadet Edwin N. Brady, 21, of Cameron, has been assigned to the Pre Flight Pilot School, Maxwell Field, Montgomery, Ala., it was announced today by the Army Air Forces Classification Center.

At the Classification Center Cadet Brady went through a series of psychological and physical examinations to determine which branch of Air Crew service he was best fitted; navigating, piloting or bombardiering.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Merka and little daughter Dorothy Ann of Seymour, visited in the home of his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Merka of Belmena community and was accompanied by Miss Margie also of Seymour.

Miss Albina Merka of Houston is spending the week end in the home of her parents in the Belmena community.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kubish and little daughter, Nancy, Mr. and Mrs. John Kamening and son, and Mrs. Fred Baker and little son George of Buckholts spent the week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Merka of Belmena community.

Miss Jean Pfardrescher of Austin spent the past week end with her parents in Cameron.

FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Sen. Harold
BECK

OF BOWIE COUNTY

Beck stands for

Co-operation with our national leadership to win war. Economy in state government, without lessening old-age pensions, benefits to blind, teacher retirement fund, etc.

Vote for this Faithful, Experienced, Sincere Tried and True Public Servant

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You can't go wrong ON VALUES LIKE THESE

Waste Baskets
Metal, highly decorated,
assorted colors—
35c

Hose Make-up
Sue Pree, Hose make-up,
2 shades—
10c

Hinds Cream
81 size Hinds Honey and
Almond Cream—
49c

Felt Mats
5 sizes, all colors—
10c to 79c

Straw Hats
Men, Ladies, Misses and
Boys—
10c to 79c

Covered Kettle
White enameled, red trim
79c

BUTTERICK DRESS PATTERNS

Soap
Jergens Toilet Soap, 4 bars
18c

Lapel Pins
Plastic Eagle with transparent case, for stamps or photos—
10c

Rim Lock Sets
White knobs, complete—
59c

Clothes Pins
7 coil spring clothes pins
12 for 5c

Door Mats
12x21 inches, cocoa fibre, braided binding—
75c

Memo Books
Cotton weight, memo, etc.
2 for 5c, 5c, 10c

GOHMERT'S VARIETY STORE

"19 years on the square"

CAMERON,

TEXAS

FULL DIVISION NOW IN FIGHT; MORE COMING

The first phase of the battle for Talagi and the Solomon Islands was over Friday and victory belonged to the United States Marines.

A full division of the best fighting men on earth was pressing on to new victories while reinforcements were pouring into the islands and in the waters now witnessing a great naval battle new units of the United States fleet was moving in.

In the air American airmen, fresh from their training in the air bases of America were roaring into the fight.

It was the first great victory of the war in which American fighting men took the offensive. News dispatches indicated that soldiers as well as Marines may already be in the fight.

The forces carrying the American flag were now well established and had rolled back the Japs in some of the most bloody fighting of the war, Marine style.

"Americans Victorious," was the word which came in from the airplanes of the world as a new chapter was written in the annals of American courage. The great sea base and harbor of Talagi has fallen to the Americans. The Island of Florida has been taken and other battles have begun for the possession of the entire Solomon groupe.

As yet there was no word as to losses. New naval units were moving in and new reinforcements were arriving to back up the gallant Marine division opening the great offensive that will drive the Japs out of the South Pacific.

The British have lost the aircraft carrier, Eagle and the new 9000 ton Cruiser Manchester in the battle of the Mediterranean. The convoy got through though some losses were expected.

Two German U-boats were sunk and hits were scored on others. The convoy was on its way to Malta and is now safely under the protection of the British air force on the big rock.

The Reds were advancing in the Stalingrad sector but the Nazi were advancing in other sectors of the Caucasus battle line.

Miss Leila Marie Batte who is working at San Antonio, was a guest of home folks for the week end.

Security Board Head Warns About Cards in Hands of Children

Austin, 10—It has been reported by David S. Pruitt, manager of the Austin office of the Social Board, that some employers are under the mistaken impression that the possession of a social security account number card by a child under the age of 16 indicates that the child has secured a work permit from the county judge in accordance with State law pertaining to child labor.

"The possession of an account number card is not evidence of the holder's employability," Pruitt cautioned employers. "The responsibility of an employer to comply with Federal and State laws regarding the hiring of minors is not affected by the fact that the applicant for work may display a social security card. Possession of such a card is not evidence of anything except that the holder has established the right to have set up for him a wage account under the Federal old-age and survivors insurance system. The wage account is for use in connection with the eventual determination of the amount of old-age and survivors insurance to which the wage earner or his survivors will be entitled when he reaches the age of 65 or dies," Pruitt said.

Pruitt concluded by warning that the card should not be accepted by merchants as identification when exhibited by persons who want to open accounts or have checks cashed, nor should it be regarded by employers as evidence that a young person may be hired in accordance with child labor requirements.

Swindler Operating in Central Texas; Merchants Are Warned

A swindler who signs checks on a Houston bank under the title of Standard Construction Company is being sought.

Cameron merchants are warned. Several such checks have been passed in Rockdale and Cameron. Deputy Sheriff LeRoy Massengale asked the Daily Herald to warn the merchants.

The checks are signed as for an expense account and are made out to various individuals, all fictitious.

If any of these checks are presented here the sheriff's office wants the merchants to telephone them.

WOODMEN CIRCLE GROVE 995

Members of the Woodmen Circle Grove 996 held their monthly meeting at the WOW hall on Tuesday night with a large attendance.

Attendant, Mazie Price, and Assistant took part in the opening exercises, bringing the Bible, the United States and the State flags to the Guardian station.

Guardian Laake, presided over the business hour session. All officers answering to the roll call.

Chaplain, Nannie Price gave the opening prayer and scripture text. Secretary Ida Johns reading the minutes, and approved also the reading of the two applications for membership into the Grove 996.

Miss Mary Ann Laffare was elected the New Banker to succeed Mrs. Narvie Caperton.

Members of the W. C. Grove will co-operate in helping and sponsoring USO entertainments for our men in the armed forces and different individuals will work in both stands to sell Defense Bonds and Stamps. Our cause is the cause of human progress, the enfranchisement of human thoughts our supreme wish, the freedom of human conscience, our mission and the guarantee of equal rights to all peoples everywhere to the end is our contention.

One of our members of the W. C.

Grove who has been sick for a period of time is somewhat better at the time of this writing. We wish for this faithful member a speedy recovery.

The Grove sent a wreath to a member's funeral; also remembered a new baby of Mr. and Mrs. Edroin Adams with a gift.

Gladys Matyastik, Reporter.

MANY TO ENTER FOUR-C FROM HERE

From all indications more young people of this community will enter Four-C College at Waco this year than ever before. No doubt many feel it is a patriotic duty to prepare for Civil Service and Defense office work.

In that Waco is in the center of Defense projects, Four-C—a Nationally Accredited Commercial College is the logical place to obtain the efficient training necessary for these well-paying positions.

Four-C was fortunate in buying some seventy new typewriters last year, but it will not be able to take care of all who wish to "Four-C their Future" this year. Those of this section who have not made definite reservations are urged by the officers of Four-C to do so at once.

C. P. Gandy of Yarrellton made a trip to Cameron Tuesday.

Sgt. R. L. Batte, III, son of R. L. Batte, Jr., who is stationed at Good-fellow Field, San Antonio, is home on a three day pass to visit with his home folks.

Mrs. Pat Tracy of Houston and Mrs. Ivan Bell of Dallas, are visiting in the home of C. F. Spiller, who has been sick at his home, but it now improving.

CAPERTON'S

5c and 10c STORE

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Stock up for

BACK TO SCHOOL

With Bright Colored handkerchiefs—

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Easel type, many styles and sizes.

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First Choice of millions of mothers—

Baby powder 10c-25c

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COTTON WEIGHT BOOKS

Several sizes, also time books, statement blanks, ledgers and office supplies. Childrens Rayon Panties, sizes 2 to 12—

15c to 35c

SCHOOL SUPPLIES

School opens soon and we are now ready to serve you with a large and complete stock of School Supplies, now on display. COME, look our selection over.

"Buy a Share in Victory:

Buy War Stamps and Bonds

Now, Often and Regularly."

Get Suspended for the Duration

10c-29c

Suspenders for little boys For men—

29c-49c

IN GLASSWARE—

You name it— We have it!

New! Rubberless "EVER SWEET" Dress shields—

15c

Childrens white anklets, while they last—

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LADIES WARE

Ladies Rayon panties 19c

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Batiste gowns \$1.79

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15c



TRAIN SCHEDULE CHANGES EFFECTIVE

SUNDAY, AUG. 23

FROM CAMERON

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Train No. 6 Leave 1:42 a. m.

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1 pound can	17c
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Quart Bottle, each	25c
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Regular size, 2 for	21c
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2 pound Glass Jar each	25c
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Per Bunch	6c
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Firm Heads each	9c
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2 pounds for	15c
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3 Bunches	25c

PEACHES, DEL MONTE—	
2 1-2 can, each	24c
PEARS, DEL MONTE—	
2 1-2 size, each	25c
PINE APPLES, DISCOVERY—	
dn 2 1-2 can, each	25c
PEAS, LIBBY'S GARDEN—	
303 size, 2 for	27c
SPAM—	
Regular size can, each	38c
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14 ounce Bottle, each	15c
TOMATO JUICE, LIBBY'S—	
303 size, 3 for	23c
POTTED MEAT—	
Red Crown, 4 for	23c
GULF SPRAY—	
Pint cans, each	20c

MARKET

HAMS, PICNIC, WHOLE, pound	29c
PORK CHOPS, per pound	33c
ROUND, LOIN OR T-BONE STEAKS, pound	35c
PORK SAUSAGE, pound	25c
CHEESE KRAFT AMERICAN, 2 lb. Box, each	63c

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MAXWELL HOUSE

3 pound can \$1.00

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McCORMICK

1-4 lb. pkg, each 20c

SOAP, Crystal White—

Giant Bars, 6 for 25c

SUPER SUDS—

Giant Box each 72c

Medium Box, each 23c

PALMOLIVE SOAP—

3 for 20c

MATCHES, Play-Safe

6 Boxes for 23c

MILK, PET—

6 Baby or 3 Tall 27c

COCOA, HERSEY'S—

1 pound can 19c

COMPOUND—

K-B 8 lb. Carton \$1.43

HOC LARD—

8 lb. Bucket, each \$1.45

B. F. STEWART Grocery

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921 & 292

ALLRED CONFIDENT OF VICTORY IN RUNOFF

Confident that he will emerge victorious in Saturday's run-off primary James V. Allred was bringing his campaign for United States senator to a close this week with renewed appeals for all-out support of the war effort, through election of a real war senator.

Dan Moody's formal announcement that he was supporting Judge Allred was the most encouraging development of the week for the Allred forces.

Allred declared, "Supporters of Governor Dan Moody have come over to our camp almost 100 per cent. And others who voted for other candidates in July are changing their vote now. I have yet to hear of one who voted for Jimmie Allred switching to the other side."

The former Governor has had an especially big response on his pledge to work for "real parity" prices on farm and ranch products, including a 25-cent floor on cotton prices for the duration. Allred has declared that immediately after his nomination he will go to Washington and tell national leaders that anything less than 25 cents a pound for cotton is "unthinkable," anything less than fair and equitable prices for all farm and ranch products is unjust.

Knock Down Drag Out Fight Between Marines and Japs

The fight in the Solomon Islands was described Monday as a "knock down drag out" affair between United States Marines and the Japs.

If that kind of fight is going on the Marines are winning the war.

Washington still withheld information. The Japs were taunting us by saying we had to do something to make a little news for home consumption.

At best the Solomons fight is not a big one but only the beginning of a general offensive under General Douglas MacArthur against Japan.

The Marines are still advancing and are consolidating their gains.

Armstead Osborne of Lubbock spent two days in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Stidham in Cameron this week. Mr. Osborne and Mr. Stidham were in the navy together in the last war. His hobby is a motion picture camera and pictures were shown in the Stidham home.

Men of the 634th Battalion from Camp Hood are welcome in Cameron stores and homes.

Mrs. G. F. Lange of Vogelsang is celebrating her 88th birthday today, Tuesday, August 18th, 1942, and a number of guests were present.

FORMER RESIDENT HERE IS BURIED IN AUSTIN

Mrs. Syd Hause, 85, died in Austin, August 7th and was buried in San Marcos the following day. Mrs. Hause formerly was Miss Lizzie James, daughter of the late Col. W. M. James who was one of the early District Prosecuting Attorneys of this county.

She lived in Cameron many years and was married to Syd Hause of Cameron, and after his death more than 20 years ago, had made her home with a sister, Mrs. Dr. Lyons at Miles and San Marcos, and after the death of her sister had lived in Austin.

She had been a life long member of the Methodist church, and was a regular attendant until she grew old. Surviving her is a brother, Bob James of Oklahoma; a sister, Mrs. John Sapp of Rosebud; several nieces and nephews, among them is John Sapp of San Antonio, formerly of Cameron.

Old Friends of Milam County Cattlemen In Cameron Thursday

Walter C. Saeger of Houston, friend of Milam county cattlemen and who for years has purchased large numbers of cattle for the Houston Packing Company, is in Cameron today.

Mr. Saeger, while employed with the Houston Packing Company, purchased more cattle from Milam than any other Texas county, he said. He is now with C. B. Johnson at the Port City Stock Yards and is no longer with the Houston Packing Company.

He is here to place before stockmen the advantages of his new yard.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

"Mind" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientists, on Sunday, August 23.

The Golden Text is: "God hath not given us the spirit of fear; but of power, and of love, and of a sound mind." (II Tim. 1:7.)

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "O the depth of the riches both of the wisdom and knowledge of God how unsearchable are his judgments, and his ways past finding out" (Romans 11:33.)

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "The basis of all health, sinlessness, and immortality is the great fact that God is 'he only Mind and this Mind must be not merely believed, but it must be understood'" (page 339.)

Telephone 282 your news items.

Relief Sought Here From Milk Shortage; City Council to Meet

Efforts to improve local milk supply were made here Friday by Mayor Leland Green and the members of the Council, urged by citizens who fear a critical shortage.

When the Ford Dairy withdrew from the retail milk market to sell its output to the army a shortage of milk occurred here which has brought about an acute situation.

Just what the city will be able to do was problematical. It was thought price ceilings might be hiked with permission from the government. Milk is selling at 12c per quart. If the hike is granted milk will sell for 14c per quart. This would help some.

No ceilings have been placed on feed or labor. The dairy man is hopelessly involved in government discrimination and how he can be expected to continue is more than local authorities could figure out.

Under existing draft regulations

dairymen cannot be inducted into the army. They are considered necessary men. Yet the government says he is not eligible to buy tires to deliver milk to retail trade.

Mayor Green said the City Council would in all probability meet some time Friday and perhaps declare an emergency or otherwise seek a remedy for the situation.

Hundreds of children as well as adults will get no milk if the present situation continues. They may not get any milk even though a raise in price is permitted and tires are available if more dairy herds are not available.

MARRIAGES

Navturdad M. Ramearez and Carlota Cavazos.

Eldon Kornagay and Jaunita Whitaker.

Joe K. Gibbons and Johnnie Mae Hays.

Richard Henderson and Bernice Riley.

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Better Supervision Asked in Plans For Entertainment Here

Young girls in their enthusiasm to entertain soldiers and perhaps influenced by the glamor of the uniform should be more carefully supervised by their parents.

Gene Smith, City Marshal, cautioned parents today that while it is commendable to entertain the men who come here, proper restraint will prevent any unfortunate occurrence. The average of gentlemen among soldiers, said Mr. Smith is as high as in any other division of our people, yet the uniform sometimes has to tolerate an individual who has the opposite character.

Thus far there have been a minimum of dissatisfaction and co-operation from parents will avoid any unpleasant thing.

L. J. Epperson visited his friends and relatives in Cameron Saturday.

Food Price Ceilings to be Raised

IN SEPTEMBER SAYS "OPA"

New Furniture every day, 1-5 down 12 month to pay.

We suggest that you save a little money by buying what you need NOW. Our stocks are complete from Tea to Pork and Beans.

Good Stock of Washtubs, Washboards, Steel Porch Chairs, Tin Cans, Fruit Jars, Radios, Shot Gun Shells, Cotton Sacks, etc. A few lawnmowers and water hose left.

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I'VE HAD THEM ALL REPAIRED..

THEY WORK LIKE NEW NOW..

NOW-A-DAYS Something Old .. REPAIRED ..

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VICTORY Begins at Home!

TO KEEP APPLIANCES Working...

1. Keep appliances clean.
2. Keep them properly oiled.
3. Do not allow appliances to get too hot... turn off current when not in use.
4. Take good care of electric cords... do not allow them to knot... repair them when they show signs of breaking.
5. Defrost your refrigerator often... this increases its efficiency.
6. Prolong the life of rubber rollers on your washing machine by releasing the pressure on wringers when not in use.
7. Always keep extra fuses on hand and eliminate unnecessary delays in restoring service when a fuse blows out.

Keeping the home life going... keeping up the family spirit and morale... that's the big job on the home front... that's why Victory Begins at Home!

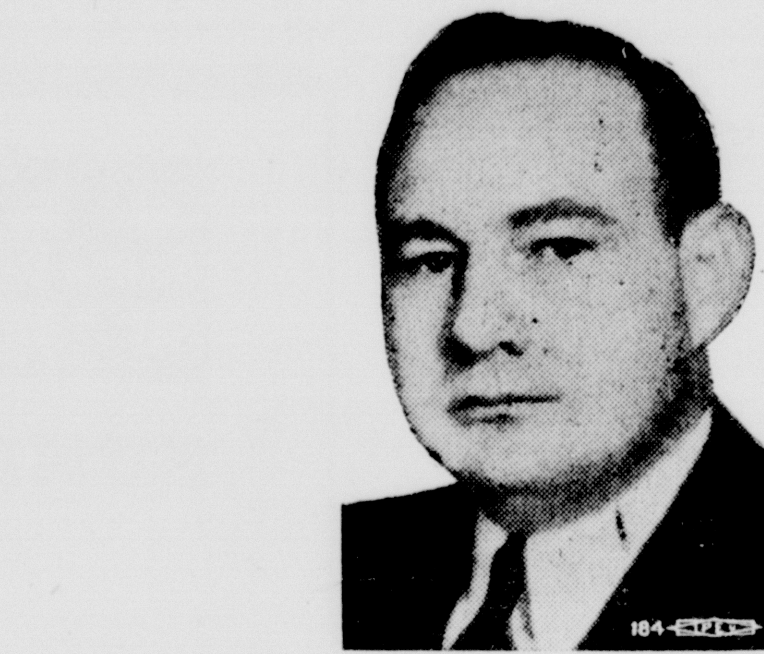
Electric appliances play an important part in home life... saving time that is useful in Civilian Defense work... saving work that is better devoted to the health and good cheer of the family.



Check over your electric appliances... See that they are kept in good working order... when they need repairs, call your electric dealer. Old appliances will work like new ones when kept in good repair.

Call Your Electrical Dealer for Repairs to Your Appliances

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PIERCE BROOKS

Candidate For

RAILROAD COMMISSIONER

(Un-Expired Term)

Thanks his Milam County Supporters for their splendid vote on July 25th giving him a splendid plurality.

Friends in Milam County pledge PIERCE BROOKS their continued support in the Run Off Primary Election on August 22nd.

A Vote for PIERCE BROOKS for Railroad Commissioner will be a Victory for the Common People of Texas for whom the Railroad Commission was established.

A NEW DEAL FOR TEXAS! A COMMISSION FOR THE PEOPLE!

—Vote For—

PIERCE BROOKS

For Railroad Commissioner Saturday, August 22nd

(This space paid for by Milam County Friends of Pierce Brooks)

Personal Mention

Mrs. A. J. Benesh, Baxter Springs, Kansas, are in Cameron to visit with her mother, Mrs. Homer Terry. With her is the baby, Bobby Allen. They have been living in Kansas for several months. Mr. Benesh, formerly of Rosebud is in a defense plant there. Mrs. Benesh was the former Miss Vera Sue Terry.

We don't experiment with your radio—We repair it—You pay less for our service. See us for Philco Radios.

Parma Radio Service.

Glyness Terry who has been in Kansas, Oklahoma and Missouri for several months has returned home for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Homer Terry.

Names of Officers of the 634th Battalion were not available for this edition of the Daily Midget. We hope to obtain them before the Battalion leaves.

Miss Ann Alexander is visiting in the home of her aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Alexander. Miss Alexander is from Beeville.

Helen Frazier, 11 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Frazier of Sharp, is at home now after a tonsil operation in the Torbett hospital in Marlin. The operation was performed by Dr. Hutchings. Mr. and Mrs. Frazier took Helen over on Monday and they all returned Friday.

Many men in service, in addition to their war sacrifice are buying war bonds and stamps.

The Rev. R. K. McCall of Sherman, will preach at the Presbyterian church here, Sunday August 9th, morning and evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lippman have returned from a visit to Dallas where they purchased goods for the Lippman Store; also visited relatives in Fort Worth while away.

Mrs. Walter Marek of Burlington was in Cameron Tuesday.

Mrs. Ruth Sprinkle Whittle, of Gladewater, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Charles Sprott.

Mr. and Mrs. James Baskin of Austin, were week end guests of relatives here and at Maysfield.

Miss Ethel McKinney of Jones Prairie, was a recent visitor with relatives and friends here.

Will Davis, prominent business man at Sharp, was in Cameron Monday on business.

For Better reception try Philco Tubes.

Parma Radio Service.

Woodrow Lowe who is stationed at Camp Wallace is home on a three day pass.

Mrs. Frank Choat and daughter of Silsby are visiting relatives and friends in Cameron this week.

C. P. Gandy of Yarrellton, well known farmer of that community, visited in Cameron Monday.

Charles McCawley of Rockdale visited in Cameron Monday.

B. M. Davenport of Rockdale spent Monday in Cameron looking after business.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reid and small daughter, Rito, spent Sunday Sunday in Marlin. They were accompanied by Miss Reid, Angie Jane daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Reid of Dallas.

We repair any make or model Radios.

Parma Radio Service.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Posey and son T. L. Jr., have returned to their home after a visit in Cameron with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Junior Harris of Freeport has returned to her home after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Tindall.

Local Draft Board Begins Work of Re-Classification

Indications were that Local Board No. 2 at Cameron would be calling men in the lower categories to meet current draft calls in the very near future as it began work on re-classification.

Selective Service Headquarters some time ago instructed this re-classification but the local board was able to fill its calls from Class A men in past registrations. Now all Class A men are either in the army as volunteers or have been inducted.

Category No. 2 single men with dependents will be called up. After that men without children, but who maintain a home and are married.

Late registrants on June 20th will not receive questionnaires until they become 20 years of age.

Telephone 282 your news items.

Five Milam County Students Will Get Degrees August 19

Five local students at Southwest State Teachers College in San Marcos from Milam county will receive their degrees on Tuesday, August 19th it is disclosed by a recent issue of the College Star, publication of the college.

First on the list is Mary Elizabeth Adams, daughter of P. O. Adams, once a business man in Cameron. She was born and reared here.

Others who are to receive degrees are:

Mrs. Leona G. White, Bachelor of Science Degree, Cameron, mother of Mary Frances White. She has been elected to teach in the Cameron Schools this year.

Eva Pace Walker of Burlington, Bachelor of Science degree.

Glenn Brooks Lumpkins of Rockdale, Bachelor of Science Degree.

Bernadine Petty Rinn of Sharp, Bachelor of Science Degree who will teach in Rockdale.

There are 146 candidates for Bachelor of Science Degrees and 20 for Master Degrees.

Nazi Dead Litter Russian Fields

Losses inflicted on the Germans were described in official dispatches Monday to be enormous.

Russian fields and plains over which the mechanized hell of Hitler has run in the weeks of the bitter Causasus battle, were said to be littered with German dead.

Monday the Germans still held the offensive except in a few sectors where the Russians are counter attacking. The Germans were thrown back at the approaches to Stalingrad.

CAMP & CAMP

ATTORNEYS

E. A. Camp E. B. Camp

Office at

CAMERON and ROCKDALE.

ALLRED HEADS IN CENTRAL TEXAS

Heading into Central Texas, in the run-off that his opponent had predicted would never take place, a smiling, confident but serious James V. Allred was carrying his senate candidacy to thousands of Texans this week.

The former governor and federal judge went on the radio Monday, beginning a series of daily broadcasts, 1:15 p. m. daily over Texas Quality network stations.

Allred is stressing his declaration for 25-cent cotton, limiting union fees on war construction jobs, 3 per cent government farm loans and other planks in his platform.

He winds up this week's campaign with a speech on the court house lawn at Waco on Saturday night, following Saturday talks at Marlin (10 a. m.) Hillsboro (2:30 p. m.) Meridian (4:30 p. m.) and Clifton at 5:30 p. m.

Friday the candidate will make his last telling blows in the East Texas towns of Huntsville, Livingston, Navasota and Bryan.

Advocating that cotton be pegged at not less than 25 cents for duration of the war, Allred proposed a cotton charter, a plan to secure for the farmers of Texas and the Southland a full measure of return for their labor.

"We have an Atlantic Charter of human liberties to serve as a foundation for the peace. Why not a cotton charter? Instead of changing entirely to other crops or trying to develop so many new ones, why not develop additional uses for our cotton," he asked. "Let's try to develop it to where our farmers will still raise all the cotton they can and help them find a good market for it."

"The Government may also find a Wartime resource in the little business men who have been forced to liquidate or are now faced with going out of business," Allred said. "These are practical men and they should be used in place of theorists wherever possible in the war effort. The Government should provide employment or some form of security for them, for theirs is an important contribution in our way of life."



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MEN'S ITEMS

Talc	.75
Shave Lotion	\$1.00
Mur Cologne	\$1.00



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"WE HAVE IT!"

—VOTE FOR—

BEAUFORD JESTER



FOR RAILROAD COMMISSIONER

(Un-Expired Term)

A Friend of Texas and a Friend of the People.

A Worthy Aspirant for the Commission.

"THE MAN WITH A MISSION FOR ALL TEXAS"

(Paid for by Milam County Friends of Beauford Jester)

1942 Harvest

We rejoice too along with our Farmer Friends and Customers over the prospects of better yields from our lands.

During the harvest season we maintain the very best banking service possible and put at your disposal all the resources of this strong bank to enable you to market your cotton and other products.

We call your attention to the deposit advantages here. Come in and let us serve you. The friendly atmosphere of this bank and its understanding of your needs is yours for the asking.



FIGHTING MEN FROM CAMP HOOD MOVE IN

The 634th Tank Destroyer Battalion, a crack fighting outfit, toughened by months in the cedar hills along Cowhouse in Bell County near Camp Hood, and commanded by Col. R. H. Meiding, was due in Cameron at an early hour Saturday morning.

The Battalion, numbering around 600 Officers and men, moved out of the hills early Saturday, the long columns of trucks and mechanized equipment, converging on the Highway 190 to reach the city from the West.

The entire unit proceeded to the campus of Yoe High School where camp was established for the week end. The Battalion will return to Camp Hood sometime Monday. Thus the Battalion will remain in Cameron for more than 48 hours.

The City through the Chamber of Commerce and business men have arranged entertainment and a friendly welcome to the Officers and men.

Included in the equipment will be guns, tanks and new type trucks with a liberal sprinkling of Jeeps and Scout Cars.

The famous half trucks will be in evidence too, in fact the Battalion will be in full war regalia, minus any secret weapon it might get for actual combat duty.

The visit here takes on more than usual significance because it is a war maneuver. One Battalion moved south to Taylor, one to Cameron and one to another central Texas town, not reported to the Herald. Monday when the 634th Battalion moves out of Cameron it will follow a secret route to destroy an enemy column somewhere in the hills of Western Bell County. Orders will be received by Col. Meiding's headquarters sometime late Sunday or early Monday.

Visitors will be welcome at the tented city all day Saturday, Saturday evening, Sunday and Monday.

There will be no parade as was the case on July 4th when the 804th under command of Col. Purdy encamped here.

Cameron's hospitality is well known to the men from Camp Hood. When the dusty columns move in Saturday morning the city will be a welcome sight to many who have visited here on week ends before.

Everything possible has been done to welcome the men and to arrange for their comfort, even showers at the gymnasium together with recreational facilities there.

People in Cameron and from over the territory will welcome the opportunity to see the 634th Battalion in war equipment and thousands are expected here tonight and Sunday.

Negro Nursery Thanks People For Help

We the staff of the school was highly honored as well as appreciative to have Mrs. B. F. Robinson and a group of women from the Presbyterian Church come over and visit our school and bring glasses and toys which were very much needed.

We are always glad to have the citizens of the town come over and visit us and glad that they are interested enough to keep the school open for another year.

A vote of thanks is to be given to Mrs. B. F. Robinson and Mrs. L. Van Perkins for their splendid service rendered the past year, and all the other members of the white board for their service we express our thanks.

GENERAL BRUCE HAS PRAISE FOR CAMERON

L. Van Perkins, manager of the Chamber of Commerce, has received the following letter from General Bruce praising Cameron hospitality:

"On behalf of the staff of officers who attended your fine barbecue last Friday night I should like to express our appreciation for the splendid way you entertained us. The barbecue was a real treat, not only for those who had never been on one before, but also for those of us who are old timers at Texas barbecues.

"Your spirit of hospitality created a most favorable impression on all of us, for which I would like to add my own personal thanks for every thing you did."

MARRIAGES

Fred Escolante and Amelia Soriano. Leon Chollett and Louise Othahai. Chas. Lamar Hocker and Jean Elizabeth Lightfoot.

Joe Brown and Mrs. Lula Wilson. John Dennis Young and Beatrice Williams.

BAILEY GOUGH DIES IN WICHITA FALLS HOME

Bailey Gough, former citizen of Cameron, died at his home in Wichita Falls, August 1st, and was buried there.

Mr. Gough for many years lived in Cameron where he was employed at a grocery store, and left here many years ago. He was a brother of Mrs. W. A. Beal of Cameron and also a brother of Mrs. Charlie Hefley, of Cameron, now of McAlisterville, Okla., and a nephew of the late Mrs. Dr. Nathan Cass.

Others surviving him are his wife and a son of Wichita Falls; Mrs. R. E. McCormick of Denison; Miss Lula Gough instructor at John Tarlton College, at Stephenville; Mrs. O. M. Harndt, of Chickasha, Okla.; W. D. Gough of Sherman and J. N. Gough of McAlisterville, Okla. Mrs. Beal of Cameron attended the funeral, and all other sisters and brothers were present.

Deceased has many friends in Cameron who will regret to hear of his passing.

Butch is Back Home And All is Happy Again; Found in City

"Butch," prize young Boston bulldog, is back home. He was found late Friday at the home F. L. Yarbrough in Batte town.

The entire city was interested in Butch. His owner, Mrs. Jewel Westbrook, advertised for him and dozens of phone calls came during the days since Tuesday.

Butch had spent his first days away from home. He may have followed some children away. Late Friday a chain was fastened to Butch's collar and as Mrs. Westbrook left her car to go into the bank, Butch jumped out and was gone again. His chain caught under the wheel of a parked car and an ice delivery boy found him.

Mrs. Westbrook paid the boy a dollar and also \$5 to the boys who found him first and \$2 for advertising. Butch's first run-away cost \$8. Butch seemed happy and said he'd met a lot of fine people who were kind to him but missed "hearing Ray Coming" something awful. Right now Butch is locked up at home.

MOST EXTENSIVE OF ALL BATTLES THUS FAR

A battle, the extent of which was said to be the greatest of any sea and air engagement of the war, was roaring into its fourth day off the Solomon Islands 1300 miles from the northeast coast of Australia and may well decide the future tide of battle in the South Pacific.

Washington was silent. A trickle of news came in through British sources which said that the Japs have taken heavy losses thus far.

Both British and American sources rejected as fantastic the claims that the Japanese made Sunday when they boasted of the sinking of one battleship, 7 cruisers and ten transports. Evidently the United States planned to choose the time for a complete account of the great sea and land fight.

General Douglas MacArthur's headquarters in Australia has had nothing to say beyond the confirmation that the battle is still in progress and has been waged for four days.

A news dispatch to a London newspaper from its Melbourne correspondent said that the attack on the Japs was delayed until a force large enough to do the job had been assembled. Already, it was said that the attack had been successful in its initial stages. Apparently no British air or naval units were involved. The United States navy and the Australian Navy together with the combined air forces of the two countries were involved.

The attack, details of which have not been told was presumably a well timed thrust to prevent a Japanese invasion attempt of Australia.

From previous announcements and from Japanese claims it was now certain that land forces were taking part. American bombing planes, the B 24 and the B-17 were in the thick of it and were dealing the Japs plenty of hell.

The battle spread out over 600 miles of the vast Pacific was said at noon Monday to be the largest engagement of the present war in which naval and air units took part and also was considerably larger in scope than the Wake Island and Coral Sea battles.

Carl Hatchel, State Highway Department, made his regular visit to Cameron Tuesday.

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FOR WOMEN
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*See directions on label

REDS LAUNCHING BIG COUNTER ATTACKS

New counter attacks were launched over a wide area west of the River Don by the Red army Saturday and minor successes were scored.

Heavy casualties were inflicted on the Germans, said a Moscow communication. Despite the showing of the Russians they were retreating still at certain points and the German threat to Stalingrad was unabated.

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BEAUFORD JESTER

For RAILROAD COMMISSIONER Has a Constructive Program to Help Win the War

THE PEOPLE OF TEXAS in the Democratic primary of July 25th gave to Beauford Jester about 165,000 votes in a field of eleven candidates which placed him in the second primary election of August 22nd as a "runoff" candidate. This strong support was given this native Texan who has never before been a candidate for public office. The record made by Beauford Jester in both civil and military life and his full qualification for the office which he seeks makes him the logical candidate for the Democratic voters of Texas.

Beauford Jester served in the front line trenches in the first world war as a Captain of Infantry in the 90th Division composed mainly of Texas soldiers. Holding a reserve officers commission he volunteered his service after war was declared last December but was unable to qualify physically. Since he is not able to serve in the army in the present war, Beauford Jester believes that as a member of the Texas Railroad Commission he can perform a valuable war time service to both his state and his nation.

Petroleum production and transportation are as indispensable to the winning of the war as are tanks, planes, guns and ships. The Railroad Commission has the important duty of regulating oil production in the greatest oil producing state of the union and also is responsible for regulating transportation in Texas. The Railroad Commission which in normal times calls for competent, conscientious and patriotic service, becomes of even greater importance in time of war. Harmony, team work and devotion to duty are essential on this vitally important commission if Texas is to play its full part in the united war effort.

Beauford Jester's neighbors know him best. In the first primary Beauford Jester received a 20-to-1 majority in his home box, while his opponent lost HIS home box by a 2-to-1 vote.

fort of America. Beauford Jester is pledged to harmony and co-operation in the conduct of the railroad commission's affairs. He is making the race independently, as a lifelong Democrat, a native Texan, and without any prior commitments or obligations to anybody. He will co-operate with all other members of the Railroad Commission for the benefit of the people of Texas and toward the winning of the war.

Beauford Jester submits to the voters of Texas a program which is both sensible and conservative. When elected Railroad Commissioner he will favor the following policies for this important department:

1. The first and primary duty of my service as Railroad Commissioner will be to expedite the war efforts in Texas in every way and in any way possible. The production of oil and the regulation of transportation are as important to the war program as the production of guns, tanks and ships. The greatest oil producing state in the union must put its full petroleum resources to work as the government demands.

2. When America is victorious and peace comes again, private industry, which developed both oil production and the transportation system in Texas, must again take charge. This post war adjustment must be carefully planned in advance

so that these two great industries, which render such a tremendous tax revenue to the state, shall not be allowed to disintegrate through any post war depression or let down. We must plan to return the men from these industries, who have gone to the firing lines, to their positions as wage earners. There must be a carefully planned post war economy for these industries—we must guard against economic collapse.

3. After the war the oil industry of Texas should not be regulated by the Federal Government. Such regulation rightly belongs to the State of Texas through its duly elected Railroad Commission. In this emergency the oil interests of 48 states are pooled to win the war. After the war the long established Democratic doctrine of states rights should prevail.

4. Realizing that after the war aviation will come into its own, the Railroad Commission should so plan for its rapid expansion that all parts of Texas will be provided with airmail, air express and freight and passenger service. Texas will be the great air gateway to the countries of Central and South America and post war aviation should be planned in such a manner as to contribute to the growth and prosperity of our State.

5. The Railroad Commission must protect the interests of the consumer as well as the producer. Consumers include the users of petroleum products, shippers by rail or truck, travelers by train or bus, customers of public utilities—in fact, every man, woman and child in Texas.

6. The business of the Texas Railroad Commission is the people's business. There should be no closed door, star chamber sessions of the commission at any time.

Vote for BEAUFORD JESTER

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